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Between 13 and 24 April 1954, the following numbers of cars passed through the border stations listed, in the directions indicated:

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Date in April	Scheune		Muestrin		Frankfurt/Oder		Guben		Forst		Worke	
	Incoming	Outgoing	Incoming	Outgoing	Incoming	Outgoing	Incoming	Outgoing	Incoming	Outgoing	Incoming	Outgoing
13	60	65	57	110	483	722	290	242	314	472	411	470
14	12	55	56	20	290	716	100	204	422	390	374	397
15	91	211	38	41	810	860	250	229	320	217	451	312
16	74	282	76	112	601	732	199	240	449	214	340	254
17	32	243	167	94	362	542	251	202	320	175	389	297
18	70	130	76	47	663	666	198	136	274	275	321	291
19	1	184	62	73	750	736	205	147	332	213	374	280
20	145	57	152	129	545	495	6	178	177	173	117	223
21	187	55	64	8	374	182	177	52	62	127	166	196
22	156	89	13	13	584	300	66	95	432	234	313	269
23	153	18	88	169	553	320	144	192	290	191	342	302
24	236	43	29	104	571	506	151	165	323	124	304	200

Note. Outgoing cars included loaded and empty cars.

  **Comment.** The report reflects the volume of traffic through East German border stations. The following is a tabulation of border stations listed in the order of their importance:

Border Station	Number of Cars Handled Daily		Type of Goods Shipped
	Incoming	Outgoing	
Frankfurt/Oder	551	541	Supply goods of all kinds
Scheune	324	301	Mainly hard coal from Poland and empty cars to the West
Guben	305	231	Hard coal, fuel, and westbound Polish transit traffic
Forst	169	164	Mainly grain from the West and empty cars to the East
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As compared with the last reported period, the present report indicates the following changes:

Border Station	Number of Cars			
	Decrease		Increase	
Incoming	Outgoing	Incoming	Outgoing	
Scheune	-	-	61	69
Kuestrin	-	-	3	14
Frankfurt/Oder	107	15	-	-
Guben	57	58	-	-
Forst	67	189	-	-
Herka	132	170	-	-

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